

Communication and Language Development

Using our term stories, we will talk about the plot and the main characters, and think about their feelings, actions and motives. We will also make links from the events in the stories to our own experiences. We will also continue to develop our language skills and confidence through circle time.

Expressive Arts and Design

This term the children will use a range of material to create rockets, planets and space pictures. We will learn the different techniques on how to join the different materials. We will continue to build on our colour-mixing skills. We will work both collaboratively and independently.

Our weekly singing lessons with our singing teacher will continue to develop our singing voices and help us learn new songs. We will listen to a variety of music and watch a string Music Roadshow.

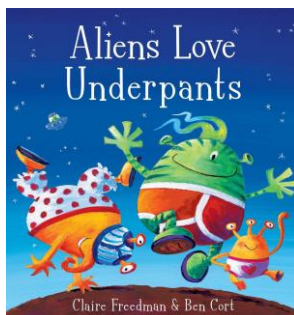
Physical Development

This term our PE focus will be 'Rugby'. Coaches from RugbyTots will come in and teach a block of sessions. RBH will have their session on a Tuesday afternoon and RSSM will have their session on a Wednesday afternoon. Please make sure PE kits are in school for these sessions. We will continue to practise our FMS with weekly activities including cutting and using a range of small tools. We will continue our welly walks exploring our school environment.

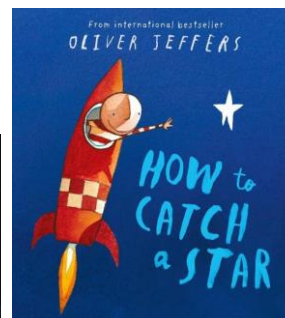
Religious Education

This term we will be naming different places of worship.

To Infinity and Beyond



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Literacy

We will be starting this term by reading the story 'Aliens Love Underpants' by Claire Freedman. Following this, we will also read 'How to catch a star' 'Astro Girl' and 'Look Up'.

We will continue to develop our sentence writing skills, using our sound-letter knowledge from our Little Wandle daily phonic lessons. We will use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops and memorise our sentences before writing them. We will also re-read our sentences to make sure they make sense. We will be writing sentences based on the books we have read.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development PSHE & Values

We will be following the Jigsaw scheme of work focusing on 'Relationships'. As we are a Values based school we will be exploring the value of Resilience and we will be testing our resilience and perseverance as we set a variety of challenges this term.

Mathematics Development

The children will explore estimation and use the sentence stems 'I estimate there are more/fewer than 5/10'. We will be ordering numbers from smallest to biggest and biggest to smallest. We will continue to add and subtract numbers using a variety of resources. We will learn how to doubles and halve and make groups equal. We will continue to develop our reasoning skills by completing 'I know this because....'

Understanding the World

The children will continue to explore their immediate environment and learn any new vocabulary associated with it. They will also look at aerial photos of their immediate environment and make comments on what they see. We will also explore space and learn specific vocabulary to describe it. We will use images, video clips and a space dome to bring space into the classroom. We will continue to keep an eye on the frogspawn we found in the school pond at the end of the last term.